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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

01478- P0006B

First Inventor

James R. Richard

Title

Tongue Cleaning Device

Express Mail Label No.

EL550089137US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. Applicant claims small entity status
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. Specification [Total Pages 16]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claims(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 2]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]
a. New executed (original or copy)
b. Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventors(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
b.: Specification Sequence Listing on:
i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
ii. paper
c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)

11. English Translation Document (if applicable)

12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations

13. Preliminary Amendment

14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)

16. Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 of its equivalent.

17. Other.....

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part

of prior application No.:

Prior application information: Examiner Group/Art Unit:

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101 710	201 355	Utility filing fee	\$355.00
106 320	206 160	Design filing fee	
107 490	207 245	Plant filing fee	
108 710	208 355	Reissue filing fee	
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$)	\$355.00

2. EXTRA CLAIMS FEES

Total Claims	-20** =	Extra Claims	Fee from Below	Fee Paid
12	-20** =	0	X 9	\$0.00
3	-3** =	0	X 40	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent		X		\$0.00

Larg Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 80	202 40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	204 135	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid
109 80	209 40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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Complete if Known				
Application No.				Not Yet Assigned
Filing Date				May 10, 2001
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Group Art Unit				Not Yet Assigned
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FEE CALCULATION (continued)				
3. ADDITIONAL FEES				
Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	
105	130	205 65 Surcharge – late filing for or oath		
127	50	227 25 Surcharge – late provisional filing or cover sheet		
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification		
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
113	1,840*	113 1,840 Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner Action		
115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month		
116	390	216 195 Extension for reply within second month		
117	890	217 445 Extension for reply within third month		
118	1,390	218 695 Extension for reply within fourth month		
128	1,890	228 945 Extension for reply within fifth month		
119	310	219 155 Notice of Appeal		
120	310	220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
121	270	221 135 Request for oral hearing		
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive – unavoidable		
141	1,240	241 620 Petition to revive – unintentional		
142	1,240	242 620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
143	440	243 220 Design issue fee		
144	600	244 300 Plant issue fee		
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner		
123	50	123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
126	240	126 240 Submission of Informational Disclosure Stmt		
581	40	581 40 Recording each patent assignment per Property (times number of properties)		
146	710	246 355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
149	710	249 355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
179	710	279 355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
169	900	169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application		
Other fee (specify)				
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